

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

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HIGHWAY ROBBERY—A CURIOUS CASE.—About 3 o'clock yesterday morning, as Officers Green, Gibson, and Young were patrolling their respective beats, they heard the cry of murder from the vicinity of Seventh and South streets. They immediately rushed to the spot...

INSURANCE COMPANIES—ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.—The election of directors of various insurance companies of the city resulted as follows:—

Annual Insurance Company.—William R. Herd, John R. Bickston, William J. Deen, Peter Seiger, Lewis Anderson, John Kitcham, David Peterson, J. E. Baum, J. B. Hoyle.

Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company.—Trustees for three years elected today—John G. Bremer, Benjamin Coates, Richard S. Newbold, James B. McFarland, William P. Hacker, Joseph H. Trotter, William H. Keim, James Euston, Edward M. Needles.

Trustees holding over—Samuel C. Huey, Theophilus Paulding, Edmund A. Souder, Samuel E. Stokes, Henry C. Toison, Thomas W. Davis, Joseph M. P. Price, Samuel A. Bishop, Elihu Perot, Rodolphus Kent, Ellis S. Archer, New York—Samuel J. Christian, James O. Pease, Warner M. Rabin, Pierre V. Duion, New York: Samuel Williams, Frederick A. Hoyt, C. J. H. Umst.

Yankin Fire Insurance Company.—President, George E. Erety; Vice-President, John E. Belsterling; Secretary and Treasurer, Philip B. Coleman; Directors—George E. Erety, John E. Belsterling, Augustus Miller, Frederick Staake, William McDaniel, Henry Trommer, Jacob Schandelin, Jonas Bowman, Christopher H. Miller, Frederick Dall, Samuel Miller, Edward P. Moyer, Frederick Linder, Israel Peterson.

VERDICT IN THE CASE OF LAWRENCE L. LOGAN.—The following verdict was rendered this morning in the case of L. L. Logan, the man who shot and killed the other man. That the said L. L. Logan came to his death from blows on the head, inflicted by some person or persons unknown to the jury on the morning of December 31, 1886, in Congress street at the Pennsylvania Hospital, January 1, 1887.

Mr. Newell, who was arrested on suspicion, was discharged, there being no evidence whatever to criminate him.

ST. MICHAEL'S FAIR.—A very handsome st. chair, designed for a President's chair, will be sold for this week, each vote twenty-five cents. All societies and companies wishing an elegant chair should not neglect this opportunity. The fair is one of the best ever given by the ladies of this church, Second street, above Market, and all who have not yet attended it should go at once, as this is the last week.

A WATCH CASE.—William Harris was before Alderman Butler this morning on the charge of stealing a watch. The watch was valued at \$250. Harris was held in \$1000 bail for his appearance at court.

CLOTHING AT REDUCED PRICES.—Having purchased recently many lots of choice goods at much less than cost, from which we have fully stocked and reduced our retail prices to proportionate prices, we offer by far the largest and best assortment of Men's, Youth's, and Boys' Clothing in Philadelphia, which we are determined to close out, and are selling rapidly in many cases, but halt the prices at which the same goods were sold last year, we in all cases guarantee the goods to be the lowest elsewhere, or the money will be refunded.

HALF-WAY BETWEEN (BENNETT & CO., FIFTH AND LOWER HALL, SIXTH STS. 118 MARKET STREET.)

THE YACHTS COMING HOME.—By a private telegram we learn that some of the yachtsmen are on their way home. It is expected that they will be accompanied by Mr. Bennett, probably on account of his appearing on all public occasions dressed in the clothes purchased at Charles Stokes & Co.'s store, 118 Market street, Philadelphia, in this city. This is important, if true.

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER.—We are not in the habit of "puffing" patent medicines, but we cheerfully add our testimony to that of many others in favor of this medicine. The Pain Killer is invaluable for the diseases for which it is recommended. Try a bottle of it, and see if we do not state correctly.—Roman Citizen.

SA GREAT PUBLIC WANT is supplied by HUMPHREYS' HOMOEPATHIC SPECIFICS. They are medicines that father, mother, nurse, or invalid can always have at hand, and apply without danger, delay, and with prompt relief. Try them. See advertisement address, Humphreys' Specific Homoeopathic Medicine Company, No. 562 Broadway, New York.

IRON IN THE BLOOD.—When the blood is well supplied with iron, the system is vigorous and full of animation. It is an inefficiency of this vital element that makes us feel weak and low-spirited; all this can be remedied by a simple preparation of iron, can supply the deficiency and will be wonderfully invigorated.

ALL PERSONS who are fond of Fine Confections, G. W. Jenks, No. 1037 Spruce street, would like to call and try his stock of Fine Candies, Ice-cream, Macarons, Gums and Chocolates, and Chocolate Creams of all flavors, Caramels, etc., of which he has constantly on hand a fresh assortment.

ELLIPTIC SEWING MACHINE COMPANY'S FIRST PRIZES SOCIETY'S SEWING MACHINES.—Incomparably the best for family use. Highest Premiums (Gold Medal), Fair Maryland Institute, New York and Pennsylvania State Fairs, 1895. No. 923 Chestnut street.

HAIRIS BROS.' FIANOS.—Modern in price and as durable as any piano made. (Gould, Seventh and Chestnut Streets.)

PUBLIC NOTICE.—E. G. Whittman & Co., No. 318 Chestnut street, are now ready to supply their choice and pure Confections, put up in new boxes, all sizes, and a large assortment of Imported Boxes, Surprises, and Knick-knacks, for Trees.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING.—M. Shoemaker & Co., No. 118 North Second street, are now opening a splendid assortment of boys', girls', infants', and muses' clothing.

FEMALE COMPLAINTS should be cured, as they surely can, by the new doses of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. A sure remedy for Chills and Fever; Ayer's Agree Cure never fails.

FRENCH COGNAC ACRE, original with MORSE & CO., Nos. 502 and 504 Arch street.

MASON & HAMILTON'S Cabinet organs, only at J. E. Gould, Seventh and Chestnut Streets. GOLD COFFINS. Due January 1st.

Wanted by DREXEL & CO., No. 34 S. Third Street.

A CARD.—Believing that the CUT, QUALITY, and PRICE OF CLOTHING ARE MATTERS NOT UNWORTHY THE SCRUTINY AND CAREFUL EXAMINATION OF OUR SUPERB STOCK OF WINTER READY-MADE CLOTHING, EMBRACING EVERY VARIETY OF DRESS, SUITS, BUSINESS, AND STREET SUITS, PRICES AS LOW AS REDUCED STOCK TAKING ACCOUNT OF STOCK. WAMAKAKE & BROWN, POPULAR CLOTHING HOUSE, OAK HALL, 515 N. SECOND ST. PHILADELPHIA.

MARRIED.—HARLAN—ALEXANDER.—On the 27th of December, by Rev. Dennis Smith, GEORGE W. HARLAN, of Chester county, to LIZZIE A. ALEXANDER, of Philadelphia.

DIED.—McLAUGHLIN.—On Sunday afternoon, January 5, EDWARD McLAUGHLIN, aged 70 years, died at his residence, No. 109 Arch street, on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

HANNUM.—On the 4th instant, SAMUEL P. HANNUM, of Concord, Delaware county, Pa., in the 64th year of his age, died at his residence, No. 109 Arch street, on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

BECKER ON "UNIVERSAL SUFFRAGE" at the Academy of Music, on Thursday night, will meet with a grand reception, judging from the universal interest manifested, and the rush for tickets. Trumper's this morning. No doubt it will be one of the best efforts of this eloquent orator.

THE KIDNEYS. The kidneys are a pair of organs, situated at the upper part of the loins, surrounded by fat, and consisting of three parts, viz.: The anterior, the interior and the exterior.

The anterior absorbs interior consists of tissues of coiled vessels, which serve as a deposit for the urine and coagulate it in a single tube, and called the ureter. The ureters are connected with the bladder.

The bladder is composed of various coverings or tissues, divided into parts, viz.: The Upper, the Lower the Nervous, and the Muscular. The upper expands, the lower retains. Many have a desire to urinate with out the ability to retain. This frequently occurs in children.

To cure these affections we must bring into action the muscles, which are engaged in their various functions. If they are neglected, Gravel or Dropsy may ensue.

The reader must also be made aware, that however slight may be the attack, it is sure to affect his bodily health and mental powers, as our flesh and blood are impured from these sources.

GOUT OR RHEUMATISM. Pain occurring in the loins is indicative of the above diseases. They occur in persons disposed to acid stomach and chalybeate concretions.

THE GRAVEL. The gravel comes from neglect or improper treatment of the kidneys. These organs being weak, the water is not expelled from the bladder, but allowed to remain, it becomes feverish and sediment forms. It is from this deposit that the stone is formed and gravel ensues.

DROPSY is a collection of water in some parts of the body, and bears different names, according to the parts affected, viz.: when generally diffused over the body, it is called Anasarca; when of the abdomen, Ascites; when of the chest, Hydrothorax.

TREATMENT. Helmbold's highly concentrated compound Extract of Buchu is decidedly one of the best remedies for diseases of the bladder, kidneys, gravel, dropsical swellings, rheumatism, and gouty affections. Under this head we have arranged Dropsy, or difficulty and pain in passing water, scanty secretion, or small and frequent discharges of water, Strangury or stopping of water, Hematuria or bloody urine, Gout, and Rheumatism of the kidneys, without any change in quantity, but increase of color or dark water. It was always highly recommended by the late Dr. Fyfe in these affections.

This medicine increases the power of digestion and excites the absorbents into healthy exercise, by which the watery or calcareous depositions, and all unnatural enlargements, as well as pain and inflammation are removed, and is taken by MEN, WOMEN, AND CHILDREN. Directions for use and diet accompany.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa. February 20, 1887. H. T. HELMBOLD, DRUGGIST. Dear Sir:—I have been a sufferer for upwards of twenty years with gravel, bladder, and kidney affections, during which time I have used various medicinal preparations, and been under the treatment of the most eminent physicians, experiencing but little relief. I have seen your preparations extensively advertised, I consulted my family physician in regard to using your Extract of Buchu.

I did this because I had used all kinds of advertised medicine, and had found them worthless, and some injurious; in fact, I despaired of ever getting well, and determined to use no remedies hereafter unless I knew of the ingredients. As you advertised that it was composed of buchu, cubeba, and juniper berries, it occurred to me and my physician as an excellent combination, and with his advice, after an examination of the article, and consulting again with a druggist, I concluded to try it. I commenced its use about eight months ago, at which time I was confined to my room. From the first bottle I was established and gratified as to the beneficial effect, and after using it three weeks, was able to walk out. I felt much like writing you a full statement of my case at that time, but thought my improvement might only be temporary, and therefore concluded to defer and see if it would offer a cure. I am now able to report that a CURE IS EFFECTED AFTER USING THE REMEDY FOR TEN MONTHS. I HAVEN'T USED ANY NOW FOR THREE MONTHS, AND FEEL AS WELL IN ALL RESPECTS AS I EVER DID.

Your Buchu being devoid of any unpleasant taste, odor, a nice tonic and invigorator of the system, I do not mean to be without it whenever occasion may require its use in such affections. M. McCORMICK, should any doubt Mr. McCORMICK'S statement, refer to the following gentlemen: Hon. WILLIAM B. FLETCHER, ex-Governor Penna. Hon. THOMAS B. FLORENCE, Philadelphia. Hon. J. C. KNOX, Judge, Philadelphia. Hon. J. B. BLACK, Judge, Philadelphia. Hon. D. B. FORTER, ex-Governor Penna. Hon. ELIAS LEWIS, Judge, Philadelphia. Hon. R. C. GILLES, Judge, U. S. Court. Hon. G. W. WOODRUFF, Judge, Philadelphia. Hon. J. P. FORT, Philadelphia. Hon. JOHN HIGLER, ex-Governor Penna. Hon. F. B. BANKS, Auditor-General, Washington. and many others if necessary.

PRINCIPAL DEPOTS: Helmbold's Drug and Chemical Warehouse, No. 504 BROADWAY, house, No. 504 BROADWAY, Metropolitan Hotel, New York, AND No. 104 S. TENTH ST. PHILADELPHIA. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE. BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.

THE DISTRICT SUFFRAGE BILL

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There is no doubt of its passage in the lower House, of course.

Potomac Gold Company. A company of Philadelphians, with William Wallace, Joseph J. Lingie, and Clement O. Fidler, of Philadelphia, as directors, have purchased a tract of land for gold mining at Great Falls, on the Potomac, with a capital of \$500,000.

On Saturday Collector Clephane, of this District, made a descent upon two illicit distilleries in Georgetown, D. C. An illicit still was detected in Washington last week, and there seems to be an extensive organization throughout the country to violate the liquor revenue laws.

The impeachment. In the House, Mr. Ashley, of Ohio, charged Andrew Johnson with high crimes and misdemeanors, preferring the articles, and directing the Committee on the Judiciary to inquire into the matter, with power to send for persons and papers.

The House has referred Mr. Ashley's impeachment resolution to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Spaulding moved to lay Mr. Ashley's resolution on the table. Negatived. Yeas, 39; nays, 105.

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Snow at Halifax. HALIFAX, January 7.—A heavy northeast gale, accompanied by snow, prevailed during yesterday and last night. About nine inches of snow fell, which, owing to the high wind, drifted badly.

Cotton Supply. CINCINNATI, January 7.—The supply of cotton to be shipped from the Trinity river this season is estimated at 12,000 bales.

Ship News. NEW YORK, January 7.—The schooner Decatur came in contact with this port with the schooner S. Watson, and lost her mainmast, split her fore-sail, and had her side stove in.

Latest Markets by Telegraph. BALTIMORE, January 7.—The Flour Market is quiet and unchanged. The Wheat receipts are small; sales of Pennsylvania red at \$1.90. Corn has advanced; sales of white at \$1.08@1.07; yellow, \$1.05@1.04. Oats dull and nominal at 65c. Clover seed quiet at 85c. Turkey dull; last sale of 13 1/2 at \$2.50. Provisions inactive. Mass Pork, 23 1/2. Coffee firm. Sugar is active.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE. Supreme Court.—Chief Justice Woodward, and Judges Strong, Thompson, Read, and Agnew—Opinions were rendered in the following cases: Funk vs. Baideman and others, and Haldeman and others vs. Funk. Appeal from decree of Common Pleas of Chester county. Judgment affirmed. U. J. Two bills in equity. Decree reversed, and the decree of April 25, 1884, confirmed, and cross bills dismissed.

Montgomery vs. Dabell Petroleum Co. Appeal from the Common Pleas of Venango county. Appeal dismissed at cost of appellant. Opinion by Woodward. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment reversed. Error to Common Pleas of Armstrong county. Judgment reversed. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

John C. Lukehart vs. David Byler. Error to Common Pleas of Indiana county. Judgment affirmed. Error to Common Pleas of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

Citizens' Insurance Company vs. McLaughlin. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed. Error to Common Pleas of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

David Grant vs. Mary Boyd. Error to Common Pleas of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed. Error to Common Pleas of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

Keeler vs. Taylor. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed. Error to Common Pleas of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

Peter's Creek Oil Company vs. William S. Ross. Error to Common Pleas of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

Corbett vs. Lewis and Neilson. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

Forster's Executors vs. Forster. Appeal from Common Pleas of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

All of the above opinions were delivered by Chief Justice Woodward. The following were delivered by Judge Thompson: Barford vs. McCue. Error to Common Pleas of Armstrong county. Judgment affirmed. Error to District Court of Armstrong county. Judgment affirmed.

The Borough of Greensburg vs. Statua Young. Judgment affirmed. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

Rankin vs. Graham et al. Appeal from Common Pleas of Westmoreland county. Judgment affirmed. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

Himes' Appeal from Common Pleas of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

Schultz vs. Blaylock vs. Dyer. Appeal from Common Pleas of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed. Error to District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

Commonwealth vs. Hoyer. Appeal from Common Pleas of Fayette county. Judgment reversed. Error to District Court of Fayette county. Judgment reversed.

Armstrong vs. Caldwell. Appeal from Common Pleas of Westmoreland county. Judgment reversed. Error to District Court of Westmoreland county. Judgment reversed.

Pennsylvania Railroad Company vs. Allen. Appeal from Common Pleas of Erie county. Judgment affirmed. Error to District Court of Erie county. Judgment affirmed.

Fitzgerald vs. Stewart. Appeal from Common Pleas of Armstrong county. Judgment affirmed. Error to District Court of Armstrong county. Judgment affirmed.

Court of Quarter Sessions.—Judge Peirce.—Prison cases are still before the court.

In the Commonwealth vs. Jacob Decker and Joseph Shuster, charged, the one (Decker) with assault and battery upon Shuster, and the other (Shuster) with assault and battery upon Elizabeth Decker, and malicious mischief, before reported, the jury this morning returned a verdict of guilty to the charge of assault and battery only as to Shuster, with an earnest recommendation to the mercy of the Court.

PLA OF GUILTY. Hamilton Budd pleads guilty to a charge of the larceny of a silver watch valued at \$25, the property of Harrison Robinson. The articles were stolen from a barrel, directed to Chicago, in front of a store on Ninth street. The goods were arrested the stolen goods were recovered and identified.

THE FAITHFUL REWARDER. Elizabeth Barnes was charged with assault and battery upon Catherine Steiner. The charge was preferred against her some time ago, and she had been in strict attendance at Court all the time, anxious to be proven innocent of the disgraceful charge.

The prosecution has put the defendant to the inconvenience of her own defence, and attended Court day after day, and has not herself thought proper to appear once. This state of affairs becoming known to the District Attorney, in order to reward Mrs. Barnes for her faithfulness, and to punish the prosecutor for her neglect, submitted the bill without evidence, had a verdict of not guilty, and sent the lady home.

A VENERABLE MALTEBRED. Chambers Vance, a crippled cobbler, had a case, and to do the case justice must needs have witnesses. A case upon some time ago, and he proceeded to serve it upon an unamiable neighbor, who stories in the name of Michael Malone. He knocked at Malone's door, and receiving no answer from the inmates, presumed to "raise the latch and walk in." He was ushered into the hall and up the stairs by his most polished urbane neighbor.

Upon making known his business, Malone, who is a baker, became almost frantic and, arising to vent his emotions, he kicked the unamiable cobbler and, and receiving a long flight of stairs. He no doubt repeated this, and most certainly will repeat it, for he was convicted of the charge of assault and battery.

A BAR-ROOM ROW. Martin Wetzel was charged with assault and battery upon Jacob Brumback, and Jacob Brumback and son were charged with assault and battery upon Martin Wetzel